

Raising Anti-Racist Children: Strategies for Success

A Panel Discussion

How do
you talk to
children
about
racism?

MODERATOR

The Reverend Liz Walker

Liz Walker is an esteemed minister and communications specialist, and an activist who promotes cross cultural and interfaith dialogue. She is pastor of Roxbury Presbyterian Church.



PANELISTS

Celeste Freeman, LICSW, MPH

A Lexington Public School elementary school counselor since 1999, Celeste previously worked as a clinical social worker in Boston. She has facilitated staff trainings on bias, cultural competency, and gender identity and recently spearheaded a district-wide workshop on racial equity and restorative justice.

Katie O'Hare Gibson, M.Ed.

Katie has taught in the Lexington Public Schools since 2006 and in other school settings since 1994. She has led workshops on how to answer young children's questions about identity, and helped adults to explore their own identity and implicit biases.

April Daciuk

April cofounded the Korean group KOLex to make a bridge to the town and schools; she runs Lexington Academy, a tutoring service; and works for a nonprofit assisting refugees and immigrants. For 12 years she volunteered at her children's elementary school.

María-Verónica A. Barnes, M.Econ.

A teacher with Lower Elementary Montessori Certification, María-Verónica has worked in the classroom for 14 years. As the director of diversity education at Lexington Montessori School, she guides students in lessons and discussions geared to introducing young children to issues of bias, racism, and social justice.

What
happens
when we
don't talk
about
racism?

Do you
worry
that you
won't get it
"right"?

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